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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5181

C O N F I D E N T I A L HONG KONG 5902

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SREF, VS, HK

SUBJECT: SITREP - VIETNAMESE REFUGEES IN HONG KONG

REF: HONG KONG 5798

1. THE ONLY VIETNAMESE REFUGEES MOVED OUT OF HONG KONG SINCE REFTEL HAVE BEEN ONE TO NEW ZEALAND AND TWO TO AUSTRALIA ON MAY 28. THIS LEAVES 3,642 IN THE DETENTION CAMPS.

2. INS IS SENDING LISTS FOR VERIFICATION OF RELATIVE STATUS FOR REFUGEES VIA GUAM TO WASHINGTON. WE STILL REQUIRE ADVICE ON HOW TO VERIFY CLAIMED US EMPLOYMENT (HK 5703) AND WOULD APPRECIATE AN EARLY RESPONSE.

3. SIXTY REFUGEES HAVE QUALIFIED AND PROVIDED NECESSARY DOCUMENTATION OF THEIR CLAIMED RELATIONSHIPS UNDER THE THREE CRITERIA. OF THESE, 53 ARE FORMER USG EMPLOYEES AND THEIR FAMILIES, WHO HAVE THE NECESSARY IDENTIFICATION AND THE OTHER SEVEN ARE RELATIVES OF US CITIZENS OR PERMANENT RESIDENT ALIENS ON WHOM DOCUMENTATION HAD BEEN RECEIVED BY INS. THESE 60 HAVE BEEN TURNED OVER TO ICEM FOR ARRANGEMENT OF ONWARD TRANSPORTATION TO US OR GUAM. WE WOULD APPRECIATE ADVICE ON WHETHER ANY ADDITIONAL NOTIFICATION FROM CONGEN IS REQUIRED FOR SUCH MOVEMENT. WE UNDERSTAND THAT LOCAL
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ICEM OFFICE IS CHECKING WITH ICEM HEADQUARTERS IN GENEVA TO

DETERMINE WHEN AND WHERE THESE REFUGEES SHOULD BE MOVED.
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